

RESOLUTION

BY THE PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HER DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT ON BEHALF OF THE ATLANTA FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT DONATIONS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,000.00 AND ADDITIONAL DONATIONS IN THE FUTURE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PURCHASING SMOKE ALARMS IN THE SUPPORT OF THE ATLANTA SMOKE ALARM PROGRAM (ASAP) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. ALL OF THE FUNDS WILL BE DEPOSITED INTO 3P02 464101 (PRIVATE AND DONATION) AND EXPENDED FROM 529002 (SERVICE GRANT) W11M0101QNA0 (ATLANTA SMOKE ALARM PROGRAM)

WHEREAS, the Atlanta Fire Rescue Department has taken the initiative to implement the Atlanta Smoke Alarm Program; and

WHEREAS, the objective of the program is to install a smoke alarm into the home of any Atlanta citizen who needs one.

WHEREAS, smoke alarms have been known to save the lives of homeowners who were notified in time that danger was imminent; and

WHEREAS, it is the mission of the Atlanta Fire Rescue Department to prevent disastrous incidents from occurring and to minimize damage to life, property and the environment; and

WHEREAS, the funds from these donations will be used solely for the purchases of smoke alarms for the benefit of the residents of the City of Atlanta.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESLOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Mayor or her designee allows the Atlanta Fire Rescue Department to accept donations for the purchase of smoke alarms from the following donor:

Section 2: That all resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby waived.



CITY OF ATLANTA

SHIRLEY FRANKLIN
MAYOR

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DENNIS L. RUBIN
FIRE CHIEF

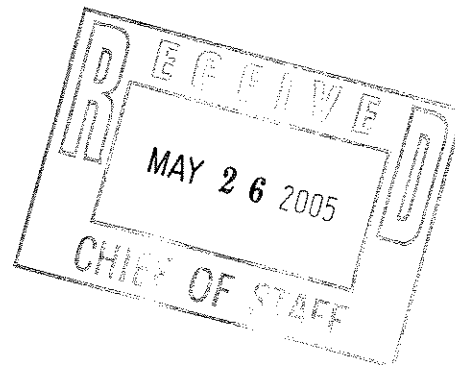
MEMORANDUM

TO: Greg Pridgeon
Chief of Staff

FROM: Dennis L. Rubin
Fire Chief

DATE: May 23, 2005

SUBJECT: ADMENDMENTS TO ASAP PROGRAM RESOLUTION



In regards to the recently submitted Resolution, The Atlanta Smoke Alarm Program, I am requesting make amendments to the legislation. The following amendments are:

- Expended and deposited account numbers
- Statement for future donations

Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution with the aforementioned amendments. I apologize for any inconveniences regarding this matter.

Respectfully,

DLR:WM:wam

JS/or
6/2/05



ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL

CLETA M. WINSLOW
COUNCIL MEMBER
DISTRICT 4

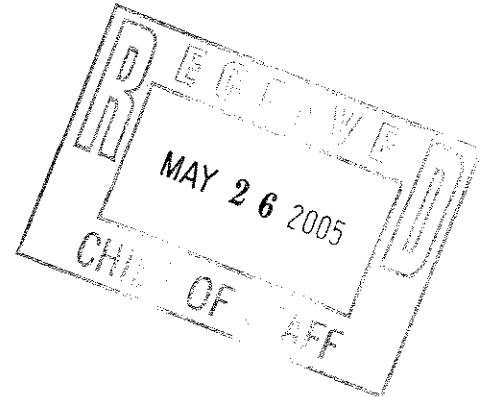
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May 24, 2005

The Honorable Deborah S. Greene
Chief Judge
City of Atlanta Municipal Court
150 Garnett Street, SW
Atlanta, GA 30335



Dear Judge Greene:

I am writing to you in response to the E-mail you received from Ray Gallimore regarding a clean-up in District 4 on April 14, 2005 on Langhorn Street and Cascade Avenue, SW. I have doing clean-ups for more than 20 years (12 of those years have been since I took office in 1994) and this is the first complaint that I have ever gotten. Over the years, I have supervised more than 9,000 men and women who have had to complete community service hours. My clean-ups start in February of each year and end in December.

On Monday, May 23, 2005, I met with Phil McDonald, and he gave me a copy of Mr. Gallimore's E-mail. On April 14th, my assistant, Marshall Thomas, met the community service workers at the Municipal Court building. Garrett Allen signed them in and gave them their instructions. Mr. Thomas introduced himself as my assistant and was wearing a T-shirt that read, "Cleta Winslow, Atlanta City Council, District 4."

For those individuals that do not have cars, we group them with people that do have cars and proceed to our destinations (in this instance, it was a church on Cascade Avenue). Once they got to the church, I introduced myself as Councilmember Cleta Winslow, and, yes, I was also wearing a "Cleta Winslow" t-shirt.

We had about 10-12 residents from the area who also came out to assist in their neighborhood clean-up. We divided the community service workers up into teams and team captains were the residents, Marshall Thomas and myself. We had 5 or 6 teams at

different locations along the public right-of- ways on Langhorn and Cascade picking up paper and raking leaves.

There were two ladies who live in Southwest Atlanta who had a pick-up truck and two lawnmowers. They asked Mr. Thomas and me if the community service workers could work on private property. We both told them "**NO**" and to keep the workers on the right-of-ways. The residents that live in this area did work the 700 block of Cascade Avenue and I took my team and worked about six blocks away. Intermittently, I circled the area where the various teams worked and provided them with water. Each time I was in the 700 block of Cascade, I did not see any community service workers on private property.

In one of the photos that Mr. Gallimore sent, there is a heavy-set woman with a lawnmower cutting grass and there was only one woman from the Southwest Atlanta community that I remember who could fit this description. However, she was not one of the community service workers-**she is a resident**.

Bags of debris and leaves are always placed on the sidewalk so that sanitation workers from the city can pick them up. At the close of the day, the residents provided a meal for the community service workers. At no time while I was on location did anyone (residents or community service workers) mention to me any problems of money being exchanged or of the community service workers not having gotten sufficient amounts of water on that day.

According to Mr. Marshall Thomas, Mr. Gallimore asked after the April 14th clean-up was completed if he could work on that Sunday (the next day- April 15th). He indicated that since he worked out- of- town during the weekday, that he needed to get as many community service hours in as possible. Mr. Thomas agreed and on April 15th let Mr. Gallimore and one or two other community service workers work at the Wren's Nest. **If Mr. Gallimore were uncomfortable with all of those concerns that he expressed in his E-mail, then, why in the world would he agree to spend the very next day with my assistant Mr. Thomas?**

Over the years, Mr. Garrett Allen and formerly, Winston Greathouse, have dropped by our clean-up locations to observe what we are doing. I always tell Mr. Allen of Community Court (which operates out of Municipal Court) where we are going to be cleaning up. We always have water, and, on occasions, community residents provide food.

Toady, I have had a further conversation with Mr. Garrett Allen. I would strongly suggest that you speak to him regarding Mr. Gallimore. His cellular number is 678-755-3823.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me in my office at extension 6047.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Clela Winslow". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Councilmember Clela Winslow
District 4

Cc: Mayor Shirley Franklin
Councilmember Ann Fauver
Councilmember Debi Starnes
✓ Lynette Young, Chief Operating Officer
Linda DiSantis, City Attorney
Phil McDonald, Municipal Court

EXECUTIVE OFFICE 2005 SPRING RETREAT SURVEY

**In order to successfully plan for future retreats, please circle the rating below that corresponds to your assesment of the corresponding category.*

LOCATION/VENUE

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

BREAKFAST TRIVIA

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

BREAKFAST

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

OLD/NEW SCHOOL DANCE OFF

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

LUNCH

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

SCAVENGER HUNT

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

SNACKS

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

FIELD DAY

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

DECORATIONS

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

KARIOKI & HULA HOOP CONTESTS

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

AWARDS PROGRAM

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

CUSTOMER SERVICE ROLL OUT

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

OVERALL RETREAT RATING

1 2 3 4 5
Needs Improvement Excellent

COMMENTS: _____

IDEAS FOR THE NEXT RETREAT: _____

TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR LEGISLATION
(For Review & Distribution To Executive Management)

TO: MAYOR'S OFFICE ATTN: Greg Pridgeon, Chief of Staff

Commissioner/ Director Abe Kani

Originating Department: DIT

Contact Person: Saleem Sayani

Committee(s) of Preview: Finance/Executive

Council Deadline

Committee Meeting Date(s):

Full Council Date: June 6, 2005

Caption

**A RESOLUTION
BY**

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER TO RE-EMPLOY WILLIAM G. GORDON, A RETIRED EMPLOYEE OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3-505 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED 520 DAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Background

Francis C. Vossen retired as ACRS Project Manager in December 2004 and was re-employed under the provisions of Section 3-505 of the Charter of the City of Atlanta. Mr. Vossen's contract under this provision will expire on July 18, 2005. The ACRS Project Manager position requires specialized knowledge and experience. William G. Gordon, who retired as a Major in the Atlanta Police Department and who managed the 911 Communications Center, is highly qualified and ideally suited for the ACRS Project Manager position.

Financial Impact (if any)

\$59,372.15 annualized to be paid from FAC 2M01-511001-E14001

Mayor's Staff Only

Received by Mayor's Office: _____

(Date)

Reviewed by: _____

(Initials)

(Date)

Submitted to Council: _____

(Date)

Action by Committee: ☐ Approved

☐ Adversed

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☐ Amended

☐ Substitute

☐ Referred

☐ Other

Legislative White Paper

Committee of Purview: Finance/Executive

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Council Meeting Date:	June 6, 2005
Legislation Title:	Re-employ William G. Gordon - a retired employee
Requesting Dept.:	Department of Information Technology
Contract Type:	Re-employment under provisions of Section 3-505 of the Charter of the City of Atlanta
Source Selection:	Sole Source
Bids/Proposals Due:	Zero
Invitations Issued:	Zero
Number of Bids/ Proposals Received:	Zero
Bidders/Proponents:	Zero
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Fund Account Center:	2M01-511001-E14001
Prepared By:	Saleem Sayani
Contact Number:	404-853-4351